



FAIRY TALES ?

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We'll now speak with Harry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Garner. Tonight their son *will* be executed.



We can't believe this is happening,
Harry was such a sweet little boy!




My baby would *never* do a thing
like that. He was so innocent.



So why do they call him "The Monster"?


Let's go back in time and watch Harry's childhood:



Mommy look!
My *tooth* fell out!


Oh my! Let's see honey.

That means the **Tooth Fairy** is coming tonight!



Tooth Fairy?
Who is she?


She's a *magical* lady. She flies around and gives *money* when you leave her your tooth.

A black and white illustration of a woman with curly hair leaning over a bed. She is holding a coin and showing it to a young boy sitting on the edge of the bed. The room is dimly lit, suggesting it's nighttime.

How do I
give her
my tooth?

You put it under your
pillow, like this...

and when you wake up,
you'll find *money* here!

A black and white illustration of a young boy lying in bed, smiling broadly. He is holding a coin in his hand. A thought bubble above him shows a winged figure (the Tooth Fairy) flying over a coin. The background shows a window with a night sky and stars.

I know you'll
come Tooth
Fairy...

Cuz mommy *promised*.
She'd *never* lie!

Harry, guess what?
Santa Claus is coming to town!

When,
Daddy?
When?

Next week!

Look, Daddy! I picked up my toys and
Mommy says I've been *very* good.

Santa
knows, son.

♪ He *knows* if you've been
bad or good... so be *good*
for goodness sake! ♪



I can't *believe* it,
I get to talk to
Santa!



I'll *never* forget this day!

Merry Christmas

Now I *know*
Santa's for
real...

Right, mom?

Christmas morning

Wow! Thank you,
Santa Claus! I love you.

I'll *never* stop believing in you, *ever!*

Shall we *tell* him?

You tell him!

No, *I'm* not gonna
break his little heart.

3 months later

Next Sunday, we will have our *Easter egg* hunt right after sunrise service.

Wow!

The *Easter Bunny* is coming!

Are you Jesus?

Gulp!

The day that changed Harry—forever

Nooooo!

There is *no* Santa Claus!
Everybody knows that!

Stupid!

*They're
liars!*

Your mom
and dad
lied to you!

YAAAAHHH!
I'll Kill YOU BOTH!

Mrs. Garner, this is the principal
calling. Harry has been *arrested*.



What?? He's only 8 years old!

Breaking News

A beautiful art in Main Street Elementary School ends in the death of a student



The family has been advised pending results of the police report

The police department is in contact with the family



The school has been closed until the police report is completed

A black and white comic panel showing a man with glasses and a mustache lying in a hospital bed. He is surrounded by his family: a man in a suit on the left, a woman in the middle, and a child on the right. The man in the bed looks distressed. The woman is shouting, and the child is pleading.

Why is he *tied down*?

For his *protection*.


No!

Mom, Dad,
help me!

A black and white comic panel showing a young boy sitting up in a hospital bed. He has a wide-eyed, fearful expression. He is wearing a hospital gown. In the background, there are medical monitors and a lamp.

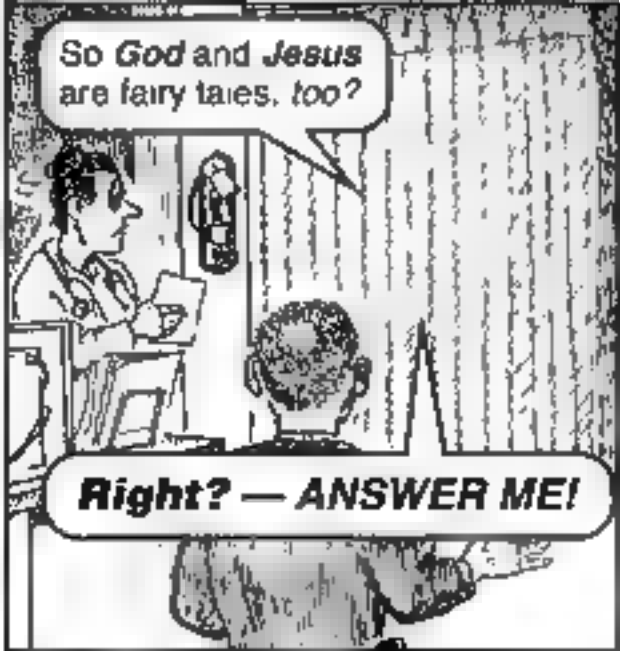
Everyone said you're *liars*, but I defended you.

Santa is *real*, right,
Mom. Dad?



Well Son, (*heh heh*) Your mom
and I pretended to be Santa Claus
and the Easter Bunny and the
Tooth Fairy.

Gulp!



So *God* and *Jesus*
are fairy tales, too?

Right? — ANSWER ME!



You lied to me!

***You promised
you'd never lie.***



***C'mon, Son. It was
just a fantasy game***

***No! —
You're liars!***

***And I'll never believe
anything you say again!***

Harry is moved into Juvenile Hall.

One week later, Harry faces the court

You little monster! Your school yard incident was your *first* offense, but last night you *strangled* your cell mate.



I'm throwing the book at you! You will *not* get out until you're 18.

When I get out, *You're next!*



2 years later

Harry, Jamal,
I told you I'd
be back!

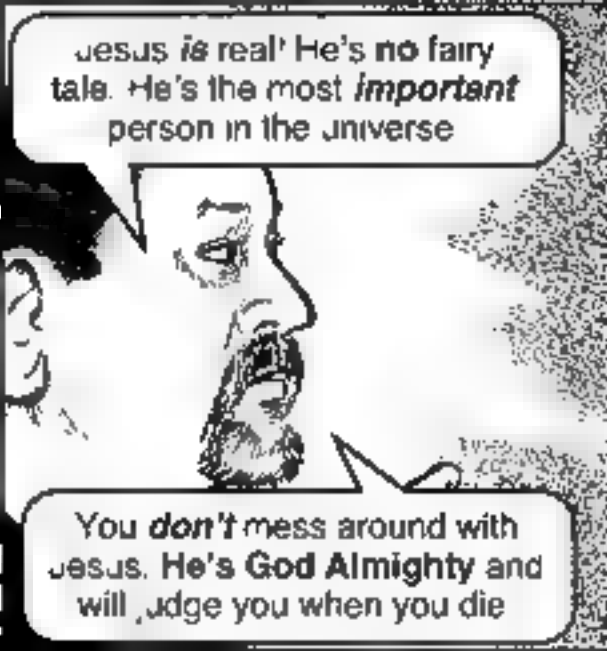
Yo, Chaplain
Lorenzo. How'd
you sneak in? The
warden hates your
guts.

I got a Friend in high places!

You said you had a *hard*
question for me. Jama.

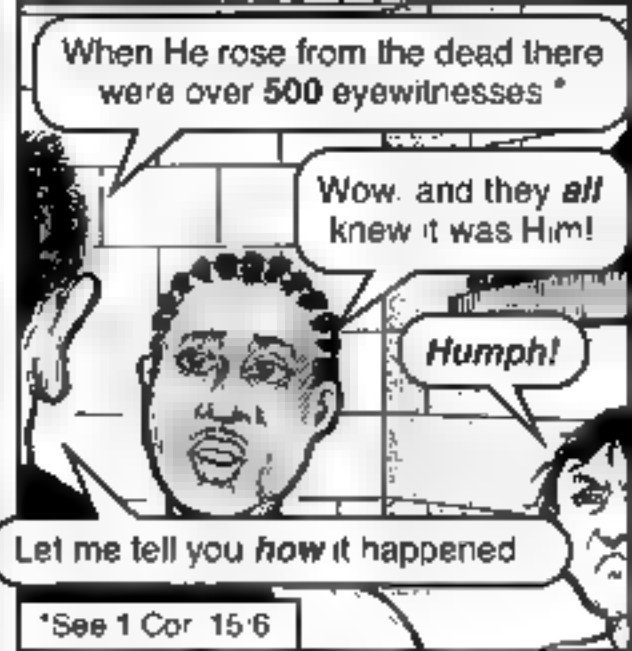
I heard Jesus
is just another
fairy tale.

Only a *fool*
would believe
that!



Jesus *is* real! He's no fairy tale. He's the most *important* person in the universe

You *don't* mess around with Jesus. He's **God Almighty** and will judge you when you die



When He rose from the dead there were over 500 eyewitnesses *

Wow, and they *all* knew it was Him!

Humph!

Let me tell you *how* it happened

*See 1 Cor 15:6

When Jesus left heaven to come to this dark, sin-cursed earth He was The Light Of The World *



He was born of a virgin** and became a man He never sinned * The world hated Him and still does.†

*John 8:12

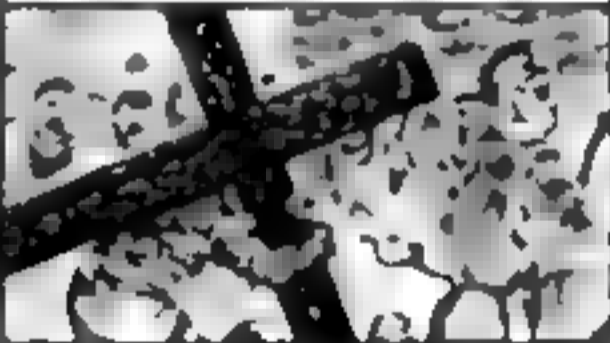
**Luke 1:27 †2 Cor 5:21 †John 15:18

The world is filled with evil people liars hypocrites, pagans and God haters.



But Jesus came to pay for their sins, and everybody else's.

When Jesus healed the blind and raised the dead the religious crowd feared and hated him.



When He exposed their lies He was betrayed, beaten and crucified without mercy.

Jesus Christ — The one who created us,* paid for our sins with His own blood (that's bloody).

The Lord showed the world that He gave His own life for us. He died that we might live. He died that we might be forgiven our sins. He died that we might have eternal life.

John 3:16



To save us from God's terrifying judgment He died, but three days

later He rose again.

later

Jesus *rose* from the dead and later went back to heaven. He will forgive *anyone* who believes in Him and receives Him as their Lord and Saviour.



I'd be a **fool** to say no!

Then let's pray. What about *you*, Harry?

It's all a *lie!* I don't want *any* part of Him!



You just turned **God** down? He *died* for us and you *slapped* Him in the face!

Jamal got saved that day and was released three years later.

What about Harry? →

10 years after his release from juvenile hall, Harry made the "10 Most Wanted List" of the F.B.I.



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Harry Garner



Osama Bin Ladin



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He was soon *captured* and sentenced to *death* for his vicious crimes.

The day before his execution...

The chaplain's here, Harry.

I *don't* wanna see him.

Oh, yes you *do!*

Remember me,
Harry?

Jamal?
I can't *believe* it!

I've *never* stopped
praying for you. It's
almost over, but
Jesus *still* loves you.

Well I *don't*
love Him!

Harry blew his last chance.
He was executed 4 hours later!

I did *everything* I could do for you.
"Depart from me, ye that work iniquity."¹



¹Matt. 7:23

Jesus is *no fairy tale*! You will
face Him on the day of judgment.

"Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ
and thou shalt be saved..." Acts 16:31

THE BIBLE SAYS THERE'S ONLY ONE WAY TO HEAVEN!

Jesus said, "I am the way, the truth, and the life; no man cometh unto the Father, but by me." John 14:6

NOBODY ELSE CAN SAVE YOU. TRUST JESUS TODAY!

"That if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved." Rom. 10:9

1. Admit you are a sinner. See Romans 3:10
2. Be willing to turn from sin (repent). See Acts 17:30
3. Believe that Jesus Christ died for you, was buried and rose from the dead. See Rom. 10:9-10
4. Through prayer, invite Jesus into your heart to become your personal Saviour. See Rom. 10:13

WHAT TO PRAY

Dear God, I am a sinner and need forgiveness. I believe that Jesus Christ shed His precious blood and died for my sin. I am willing to turn from sin. I now invite Christ to come into my heart as my personal Saviour.

If you trusted Jesus as your Saviour, you have just begun a wonderful new life with Him. Now:

1. Read your Bible (KJV) every day to get to know Jesus Christ better.
2. Talk to God in prayer every day.
3. Be baptized, worship, fellowship, and serve with other Christians in a church where Christ is preached and the Bible is the final authority.
4. Tell others about Jesus Christ.

Here's help to grow as a new Christian! Read *The Next Step*, available at www.chick.com.

